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Mr. Charles Terreni  
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Re: Application of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Provide In-Region  
InterLATA Services Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications  
Act of 1996  
Docket No. 2001-209-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing are the original and 10 copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s ("BellSouth's") performance data change Notification Reports for August 2005 and preliminary September 2005. These data change Notification Reports are being provided to inform the Commission of the changes BellSouth plans to make to its Performance Measures Analysis Platform ("PMAP") with August data, and previews the changes BellSouth is considering making for September data.

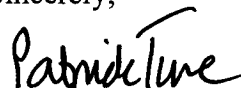
Consistent with BellSouth's commitment to keep the Commission and CLECs informed about validated data issues, BellSouth is also providing the enclosed Data Disclosure Report for May 2005 that describes those validated data issues that affect performance measurement calculations for which a fix has not yet been scheduled. Generally, these issues have minimal, if any, impact on the overall measurement results or the exact timeframe for making the necessary system corrections have not been determined. This Data Disclosure Report was actually attached to the last month's June 22, 2005 performance data change Notification Reports cover letter as well but was inadvertently omitted from the cover letter.

There is one additional matter that BellSouth would like to bring to the attention of the Commission and the parties. BellSouth will remove all DSO wholesale platform circuits provided by BellSouth to a CLEC pursuant to a commercial agreement from the

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SQM Reports, Tier 1 payments, and Tier 2 payments, effective with June 2005 data. This change was originally outlined for February 2005 data. See BellSouth's December 20, 2004, "Preliminary February 2005 Data Notification", Item 4. However, its implementation was delayed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick W. Turner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "P" and "T".

Patrick W. Turner

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Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record

## **PROPOSED AUGUST 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION**

BellSouth proposes making the changes described in this document to generate results for the August 2005 data month. Results for the August 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Preliminary results | September 20, 2005 |
| Final results       | September 30, 2005 |

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (*e.g.*, LEO, LESOG, LMOS, WFA, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. BellSouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as Releases are implemented.

### **Ordering Measurements**

- (1) *Affected Measures:* O-7, O-8 & O-9

*Description of Change:* With the implementation of the ENCORE 17.0 Release in December 2004, LSRs that had potential jeopardies placed against them prior to the FOC being issued were being classified as Fully-Mechanized. BellSouth proposes to change the code to classify these LSRs as Partially-Mechanized. This proposed change was Item (1) on the Preliminary August Data Notification filed on June 1, 2005. (RQ6185)

*Impact of Change:* For March 2005, in Georgia, the result would change from 92.68% to 98.75% for the Fully-Mechanized Reject Interval. For the Partially-Mechanized Reject Interval, the result would change from 95.30% to 95.50%.

### **Provisioning Measurements**

- (2) *Affected Measures:* P-3

*Description of Change:* Currently, for the Local Interconnection Trunk product in the Percent Missed Installation Appointment Aggregate Report, the Retail and Wholesale

End User Missed Appointment Columns are erroneously being populated with the BellSouth caused missed appointments. BellSouth proposes to change the PMIA report for Local Interconnection Trunks to correctly reflect these End User Missed Appointments. This proposed change was Item (2) on the Preliminary August Data Notification filed on June 1, 2005. (RQ6328 changed to RQ6864)

*Impact of Change:* No impact to measurement results. For February 2005, in Florida, 27 BellSouth End User Missed Appointments and 5 CLEC End User missed appointments were not reported.

- (3) *Affected Measures:* P-11 (Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, and Tennessee)

*Description of Change:* Currently, where multiple LSRs with the same PON exist and only one Service Order reflects that PON, only the LSR where both the PON and OCN match the Service Order is included in the data. BellSouth proposes to include the remaining LSRs in the data as a measurement failure. This proposed change was Item (3) on the Preliminary August Data Notification filed on June 1, 2005. (RQ6392)

*Impact of Change:* For February 2005, there were two such duplicate PONs in the Region and both duplicate PONs were in Kentucky. The measurement result would decrease by 0.13%.

#### **Billing Measurements**

- (4) *Affected Measures:* B-7 & B-8

*Description of Change:* Currently, the entire ZScore column for the Resale product on the 12-Month reports is not populated. BellSouth proposes to populate this column. This proposed change was Item (4) on the Preliminary August Data Notification filed on June 1, 2005. (RQ6110)

*Impact of Change:* None to reported results.

## **PRELIMINARY SEPTEMBER 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION**

BellSouth is considering making the changes described in this document to generate results for the September 2005 data month. Results for the September 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

|                     |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Preliminary results | October 20, 2005 |
| Final results       | October 31, 2005 |

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

ENCORE Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (e.g., LEO, LESOG, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. BellSouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as ENCORE Releases are implemented.

### **Special Access Measurements**

#### **(1) *Affected Measures:* SA-7**

*Description of Change:* Currently, past due circuits where the completion date has been applied but the status of the order is still pending in SOCS are not being included in this measure. BellSouth proposes to modify the PMAP data processing to assign all records that reflect a pending SOCS status as a candidate for this measure. (RQ6080)

*Impact of Change:* For April 2005, in Georgia, the PDC Distribution report currently reflects no records. After the coding modification the report would reflect 87 records.

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| MEASURE/IMPACT       | ISSUE DESCRIPTION  |
|----------------------|--|
| P-7, P-7A, P-7B      | Currently some UCL - Unbundled opper Loops, Non-Coordinated may be misclassified as Design orders. BellSouth is investigating to correct the PMAP code to classify these records as Non-Design.  |
| P-2, P-2A, P-2B, P-5 | BellSouth proposes to display the analog data for LIT on the 12-month non-mechanized report. The data is calculated, just not displayed. The other reports, such as the SRS monthly report, are correct.   |
| P-3                  | The current ZScore results are displayed incorrectly on the 12 Month PMIA Measure because PMAP is using the Missed Appointment values (Numerator) to calculate the results and it should be using the total volume (Denominator) to produce the results. The penalty results are being calculated correctly. |

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Nyla M. Laney, hereby certifies that she is employed by the Legal Department for BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and that she has caused BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Proposed August 2005 and Preliminary September 2005 Data Notification Report in Docket No. 2001-209-C to be served upon the following this July 28, 2005:

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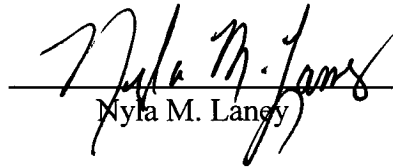
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